IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.SIRI JAGAN

MONDAY, THE 6TH AUGUST 2007 / 15TH SRAVANA 1929

WP(C).No. 31761 of 2006(F)

PETITIONER:

P. KUNHIMOHAMMED, PANGAT HOUSE,
VENGARA, MALAPPURAM DISTRICT.

BY ADV. SRI.SAJEEV KUMAR K.GOPAL

RESPONDENTS:

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1. THE REGIONAL TRANSPORT AUTHORITY,
MALAPPURAM REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY.

2. THE SECRETARY, R.T.A., MALAPPURAM.

3. E.P. ALAVIKKUTTY, E.P. HOUSE,
VALIYORA, VENGARA, MALAPPURAM DISTRICT.

4. THE STATE TRANSPORT APPELLATE TRIBUNAL,
ERNAKULAM.

R1, R2 & R4 BY GOVT. PLEADER SRI.M.R.SABU.

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING BEEN FINALLY HEARD ON 06/08/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

APPENDIX (WP(C) NO. 31761 OF 2006)

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS:

Ext.P1: Copy of the order dtd. 10.7.03 issued by R2.

Ext.P2: Copy of the objection dtd.25.2.05 submitted by the petitioner before R1.

Ext.P3: Copy of the order dtd. 29.8.05 issued by R2.

Ext.P4: Copy of the Memorandum of Revision Petition dtd.11.5.06 submitted by the petitioner before the S.T.A.T., Ernakulam.

Ext.P5: Copy of the petitioner to condone delay dtd.11.5.06 submitted by the petitioner before the S.T.A.T. In MVARP no.245/06.

Ext.P6: Copy of the order of the S.T.A.T. Dtd.12.7.06 in MP No.921/06 in M.V.A.R.P No.245/06.

Ext.P7: Copy of the order of the S.T.A.T. Dtd.12.7.06 in MVARP No.245/06.

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P.A.to Judge.

S. SIRI JAGAN, J.

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Dated this the 6th day of August, 2007

J U D G M E N T

The petitioner challenges Ext.P6 order of the State Transport Appellate Tribunal, Ernakulam refusing to condone the delay of 224 days in filing the revision petition. The Tribunal has considered the contention of the petitioner regarding the reasons for the delay and come to the conclusion that the reasons stated by the petitioner are not sufficient to condone the delay of 224 days. Exercising jurisdiction under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, I do not think that I am expected to upset such findings of fact. In the above circumstances, I do not find any merit in the writ petition and the same is dismissed.

S. SIRI JAGAN,
Judge

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S.SIRI JAGAN, J

W.P.(C) NO. OF 2001

J U D G M E N T

DATED:01-06-2007